

Appl. No. 09/932,900  
Amendment and Response to Office Action  
Reply to Office Action of March 17, 2004



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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Appl. No. : 09/932,900  
Applicant(s) : Claudia Dorenkamp et al.  
Filed : August 20, 2001  
Title: APPARATUS FOR TREATING OBJECTS  
TC/A.U. : 1743  
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Examiner : Lyle Alexander  
Docket No. : 37105.0031

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Sir:

This Amendment and Response is in reply to the Office Action mailed March 17, 2004. A Petition for Extension of Time Under 37 CFR 1.136(a) is enclosed herewith, together with a Fee Transmittal and payment check in the amount of \$420.00 for a two-month extension of time to respond to the Office Action.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 6 of this paper.